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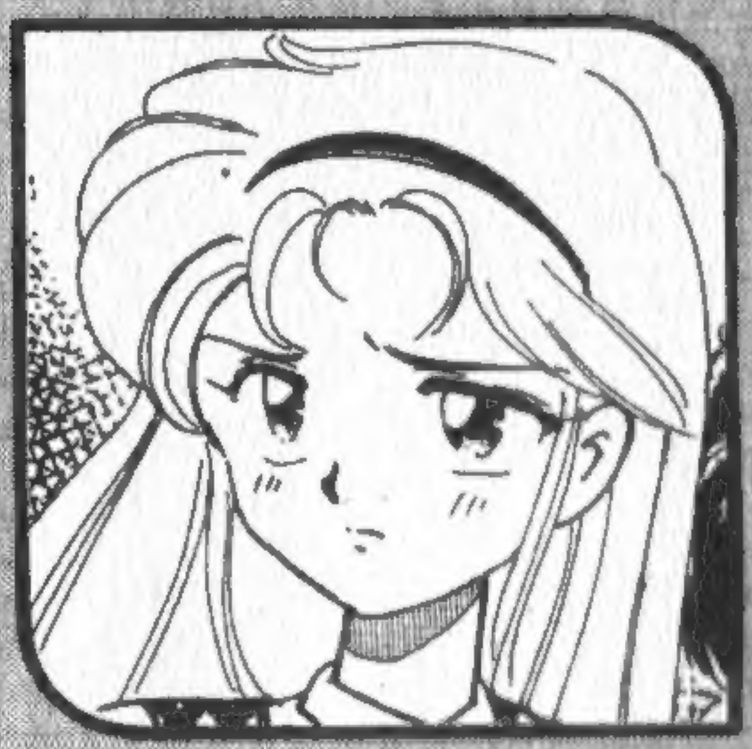

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HAS THE AIR OF A PROPER YOUNG LADY...'TIL SHE TRANSFORMS INTO ANGEL LILY TO BATTLE DEMONS.

MOMOKO HANASAKI
IS AN ORDINARY FIRST-YEAR STUDENT IN JUNIOR HIGH...EXCEPT THAT SHE'S ALSO THE DEMON-FIGHTING ANGEL, WEDDING PEACH.

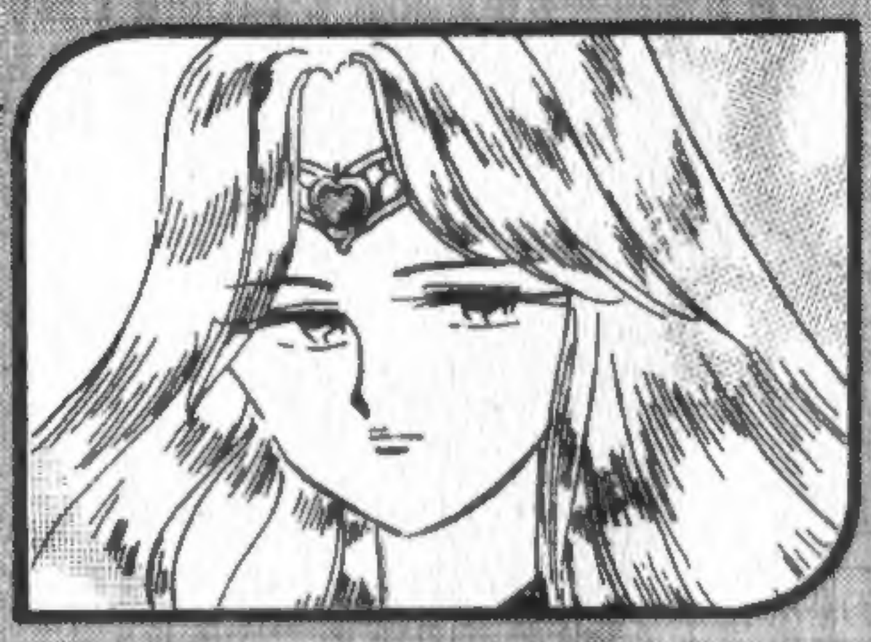
HINAGIKU
IS THE TOMBOY OF THE BUNCH. SHE TRANSFORMS INTO ANGEL DAISY.

WEDDING PEACH 2

CHARACTERS

RAIN DEVILLA
THE QUEEN OF THE DEMONS

APHRODITE
GODDESS OF LOVE AND BEAUTY

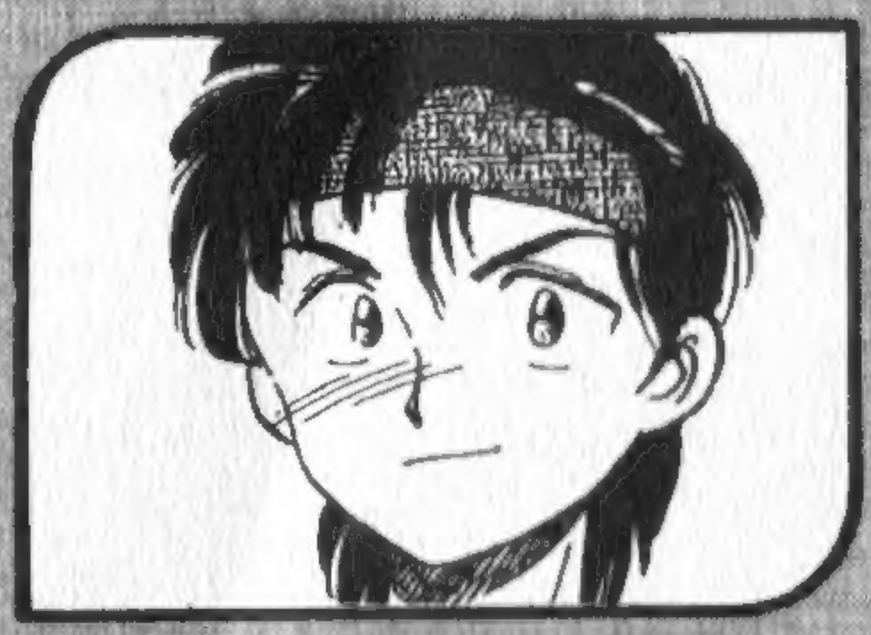


PLUIE
A DEMON ON THE PROWL FOR MOMOKO

LIMONE
GUARDIAN ANGEL FOR WEDDING PEACH AND HER FRIENDS

JAMA-P
THE DEMONS' PET

YOSUKE FUMA
A FIRST-YEAR STUDENT ON THE SOCCER TEAM



SYNOPSIS

MOMOKO HANASAKI IS A FIRST-YEAR JUNIOR HIGH STUDENT WITH A CRUSH ON UPPERCLASSMAN (SENPAI) AND SOCCER CAPTAIN KAZUYA YANAGIBA. SHE'S AN ORDINARY GIRL...OR WAS, UNTIL THE DAY THE ANGEL LIMONE GAVE HER A COMPACT THAT TRANSFORMED HER INTO THE DEMON-FIGHTING LOVE ANGEL, WEDDING PEACH.

SHE IS JOINED BY YURI, WHO TRANSFORMS INTO ANGEL LILY, AND HINAGIKU, WHO TRANSFORMS INTO ANGEL DAISY. THE THREE COMBINE THEIR ENERGIES TO FIGHT THE DEMON FOLK.

THE RING THAT IS MOMOKO'S KEEPSAKE OF HER MOTHER IS ACTUALLY ONE OF THE "SACRED FOUR SOMETHINGS" THAT THE DEMONS SEEK. THE EVIL DEMON PLUIE IS OUT TO GET MOMOKO AND HER RING.

YOSUKE FUMA, A SOCCER PLAYER ON THE SCHOOL TEAM, HAS HELPED MOMOKO A NUMBER OF TIMES. MOMOKO SECRETLY HAS A SOFT SPOT FOR HIM! BUT AS HE WAS TRYING TO PROTECT HER FROM DEMON PLUIE, YOSUKE WAS POSSESSED BY THE DEMON PET JAMA-P, AND HE BEGAN TO TRY TO KILL MOMOKO...!

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POCH

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SEIZE THE RING THAT IS ONE OF THE "FOUR SOMETHINGS."

KILL HER, JAMA-P.

YO ...

YOS ...

...?

WHAT'S THIS WARMTH FLOWING OVER ME ...?

YOSUKE ...

YOSUKE ...

I CAN'T SEE YOSUKE ...

YOSUKE !!

POCH

YOSUKE ...

MOMO-P ...?

...?

...

FFFFFFZZ

I FEEL MY JAMA- POWER DRAINING AWAY ...

SO WEAK ...

WANK

OH ...

WHAT WAS I DOING ?!

W- WHAT WAS I...

!

SLAMM

YOSUKE ...

DUPED BY WEDDING PEACH ...

THAT IDIOT ...!

YOSUKE ...

LEAVE 'IM ALONE !!!

NO !!

LEAVE YOSUKE OUTTA THIS !!

FWSSH

THIS POWER MUST COME FROM ONE OF THE SACRED FOUR SOME-THINGS!

MY SPIRIT FORCE WAS REPELL-ED!

IT'S MAMA'S RING AGAIN ...!!

!

UNGH ...

THE POWER OF THE LIGHT IS BOUNCING ME RIGHT-JAMA BACK !?

All ...

POMM

DRAT !!

NO ...

PLONK

HUH ?

PONG

!

SACRED MIRROR ...!!

WEDDING
BEAUTIFUL
FLOWER
!!

SCHNAPP

FFFF

PFFF!

Heh

AN ANGEL IN TRAINING-- AND ALONE, AT THAT.

HARDLY A WORTHY ENEMY FOR ME!

YOSUKE HAS NOTHING TO DO WITH THIS...

I SHALL *NOT* ALLOW YOU TO DRAW HIM INTO THIS!!

PLUIE !!

WEDDING PEACH ...!!

MASTER PLUIE...

Where am I...

GYAA!?

WOSH

HHH

USELESS JAMA!

OUTTA HERE ...!

I'VE NO USE FOR INCOMPETENT FOOLS!

MA ...

MASTER ...

YOUR OWN DEMON-PET!

PLUIE ...?

MASTER PLUIE ...

BASH

KYAA

SMASH

W...

WEDDING PEACH...?

UNH...

WASTING YOUR TIME ON THAT INCOM-PETENT JAMA-P ...

FOOL ...

heh

HOW SILLY-GETTING HURT WHILE PROTECT-ING AN ENEMY ...

TONK

UNGH ...

PEACH !

THAT'S UNFORGIV-ABLE...

ABSOLUTELY UNFORGIV-ABLE...

HOW COULD YOU ...!

DIE!

HAH! YOU'RE IN NO SHAPE TO DO ANYTHING.

WHA-!

SWISH

SACRED LIPLINER LILY RAINBOW !

SACRED PENDULUM DAISY BLIZZARD !

PEACH!

LILY! DAISY!

HOW DID YOU KNOW ...?

YOU OKAY!? YOUR INJURY ...

WE SENSED THE EVIL SPIRIT FORCE.

Huh?

JAMA-P ...?

CURSE THOSE MED-DLERS ...

SSSHH

AAARRRG!

UNGH!

!!!

BSSSSS

You rescued him!?

ARE YA CRAZY !?

KYA!

Yeah...

BUT PLUIE WAS GONNA KILL HIM ...

I COULDN'T JUST LET HIM DIE!

DIDYA FORGET WHAT HE DID !?

PEACH ...

POOR LITTLE CHILD ...

ABANDONED BY PLUIE ...

AN' WOUNDED ALL OVER ...

SHEEN

THE RING ... IT'S DOING IT AGAIN!!

!

THE WOUNDS ARE HEALING ...!

Wedding Peach ...

AND HOW IS IT THAT MAMA'S RING ...

JUST WHAT ARE THESE SACRED FOUR SOME-THINGS!?

IS IT THE SACRED FOUR POWER?

OH, APHRODITE- GODDESS OF LOVE AND BEAUTY!

I see the time has come to speak to you about the Sacred Four Somethings.

Long long ago in the world of angels...

The Sacred Four Some-things belonged

to an Angel maiden whose wedding was blessed by everyone throughout the world.

The four things

included Something Borrowed - pure white gloves belonging to her mother...

Something old -her grandmother's pearl necklace that had been passed down through the generations...

Some-thing New - a new veil.

And Something Blue - a blue ribbon tied around the Bouquet.

The two loved each other so strongly that these four items came to radiate the strong power of love.

And as a symbol of happiness, they've nurtured love in the angel world for all these years

Until the demons began to invade the realm of angels.

DEMONS !?

The Sacred Four Somethings transformed into the energy of love and flew down into the human world.

At that instant ...

The demons wanted to destroy the power of love, and so they tried to break the Sacred Four Somethings.

SO ...

SO THE ENERGY OF THE SACRED FOUR SOMETHINGS IS IN MAMA'S RING?

the Sacred Four Somethings have been absorbed into items in the human world.

Yes, and for same reason ...

INTO *OUR* HUMAN WORLD ...?

Lumone has been searching a long time for them.

Nobody knows where the other three things may be, or what form they take.

And it must have awakened the dormant energy of the sacred four something-things.

Wedding Peach ... Your own sacred energy has been growing ..

Please

Together you must try to find them. There's not a moment to lose—

— the eternal happiness of the world depends upon it ...

Before the demons do...

Nevertheless, you must find them...

LILY ...

IMPOSSIBLE!

Hey!

WE DON'T KNOW WHERE OR WHAT TO LOOK FOR...

AND ON TOP OF THAT, ORDINARILY THEY WON'T BE EMITTING SACRED ENERGY ...

CRESCENT MOON

NO ...

If the Sacred Four Somethings should fall into the hands of Rain DeVilla, Queen of the Demons...

Love will disappear from every heart, every soul...

and all the worlds will fall to the demons.

WE SHALL FIND THEM. WE *MUST!*

NO WAY WE'LL LET 'EM!!

MISS WEDDING PEACH ...

I WILL NEVER FORGET WHAT YOU DID FOR ME! AI-P!

WHA-

JAMA-P !?

FFFFSS

I... I...

... I'M SORRY!

... ANYPLACE TO GO ...

SO WHERE ...?

HE DOESN'T HAVE ...

I WAS THREE WHEN MAMA DIED.

I HARDLY REMEMBER HER AT ALL...

THE ENERGY OF THE SACRED FOUR SOMETHINGS ... IN MAMA'S RING...?

WHY IS MAMA'S RING...

ALL I HAVE ARE THE WEDDING VIDEO AND DRESS... I WASN'T EVEN BORN THEN.

THAT... AND THIS RING WHICH IS MY MEMENTO OF HER.

WHAT'S THIS GOT TO DO WITH MAMA!?

ZO-NG

MAMA ...

YO-
...

Typical Momo-P.

IT'S WHAT'CHA GET FOR SPACING OUT BY THE SOCCER FIELD.

TSK TSK.

HUNH ...?

Huh?

A GENTLE SIDE? ME?

ZONG

Yosuke

YOU COULD'VE AT LEAST OFFERED A HAND UP.

JUST WHEN I HAD THOUGHT YOU MIGHT ACTUALLY HAVE A GENTLE SIDE!

OH ...?

I shall erase all memories that young man may have...

of the demons.

Peach ...

You mustn't involve him any more

NO WAY ...

NOT AGAIN ... HAVE YOU FORGOTTEN EVERYTHING AGAIN?

OH ...

...?

HE DOESN'T REMEMBER ANY OF IT...

THE ONE WHO WAS SO GENTLE TOWARD ME...

THE YOSUKE I KNOW ...

OKAY ...

I'M NOT SUPPOSED TO HELP HIM REMEMBER.
EVEN THOUGH THERE'S SO MUCH I WANT TO SAY...
IT'S SO STRANGE ...
um ...
... THAT MY HEART SHOULD ACHE ...
BECAUSE OF YOSUKE.
... MOMO-P ?

I

...

WASSUP!

.....

.....

I'VE SUSPECTED SOMETHIN' SINCE THE OTHER DAY.

So, you guys are an item, huh?

HEHEHE...

MY, YOU TWO LOOK SO CHUMMY. I'M JEALOUS!

What!

YOU ROUGH, STUPID, IGNORANT, RUDE, CRUDE, FOUL-MOUTHED ...

WH-WHO'D WANT THIS SPACY FOOL OF A GIRL!

GRINS

IT'S HOT-HOT-HOT!

SUCH PASSION. YEEHAW!

.....

...OF HOW CLOSE YOU ARE.

MY, THIS MUCH FIGHTING IS SURELY PROOF...

Kya

CAPTAIN ?

OH!

YA-NA-GI-BA-SENPAI IS THE ONE I ...

GRRR

EXCUUUSE-ME, BUT...

AAW

MMM

UM... THAT IS...

OH...

OH.

OH.

YANAGIBA-SENPAI...

YANAGIBA-SENPAI!!

SWISH

KYAAA!

NACK

Hmph

THOSE SCREAMING GIRLS ...

WAIT ... FOR ME...

...

HUH ...?

I CAN SEE WHY ...

I GUESS ...

BLA BLA BLA BLA

BLA BLA BLA

REALLY, YOSUKE!

HEH ... HEH HEH.

IF I WERE A GIRL, BET I'D HAVE A CRUSH ON HIM.

Hee

EVEN FROM A GUY'S POINT OF VIEW, THERE'S SOMETHIN' ABOUT HIM..

Face is too pretty, though.

YEAH

FUMA!

IF YOU WANT TO CHAT WITH YOUR GIRLFRIEND, DO IT AFTER PRACTICE!

OH ...!

'kay, I have to run

Oh

Girl-friend !?

SCHOCK

THE WORLD IS ALL BLACK...

Save me, Aphrodite, oh goddess of love and beauty ~~~

SMIRK

ER... YES, CAPTAIN!

MISUNDER-STOOD!!

Waa

YANAGIBA-SENPAI...

OH!!

JAMA-P !?

FLOAT

MISS PEACH! IT'S ALL TERRIBLE P!

PEACH ...

STILL ...

YOU'LL CAUSE A HUGE UPROAR !!

P-!

IF YOU'RE GONNA JUST APPEAR, CHOOSE A MORE DESERTED PLACE!

WHEW ...

GLANCE

!

GLANCE

!

MISS PEACH ...

I'M SO GLAD YOU'RE OKAY.

I WAS REALLY WORRIED.

OH!

....

HURRY-P!! WE GOTTA HIDE!

MASTER PLUIE IS...

NO TIME-P FOR EMOTIONAL SPEECHES!

Oh no !!

KARMIC RETRIBU-TION, BIRTH AND REBIRTH, BITTER GRUDGE, REDEMP-TION...

SSSN

TODAY IS THE DATE YOU MEET YOUR FATE, WEDDING PEACH!

YES ...

WE'LL JUST RUN HIM OUTTA HERE AGAIN!

PLUIE?

NO SWEAT!

Leave it to me!

MISS PEACH!

MISS PEACH, YOU DON'T UNDER-STAND-P!

MASTER PLUIE'S GOIN' TO USE THE DIMENSION RING HE GOT-P FROM QUEEN RAIN DEVILLA!!

!!

GHHHOOOO

WHA --!?

All-P! WE'RE DONE FOR!!

MIKED

THIS ...

THIS IS THE POWER OF THE DIMENSION RING!?

Kyaa

WHOOO

IT'S PULL-ING ME IN !?

NEGATIVE REST SPACE!

!?

WHOOOOO

Aaaah!

THIS IS ...!

THIS ...

WHAT'S GOIN' ON !!

WAAAHHH

UNGH ...

UMPH ~~

ANGEL LOVE PEACH!!

WEDDING BEAUTIFUL FLOWER!!

THE FORCE- IT STOPPED PULLING ...!!

PLUMS

KYAA !?

GRINS

HUST

MY B-BODY ... IT'S SO HEAVY!

MISS PEACH!

WHAT !?

IT DRAINS THE POWER OF ANGELS!

OH P-! THIS IS *DEMON SPACE!*

DRAGS ANGELS INTO THIS DEMON SPACE!!

THE POWER OF THE DIMENSION RING...

KLING

AIII . . .

SHOT

i

WW

DIE!

MISS PEACH ...!!

IT'S NO USE! I CAN'T DODGE HIM...!!

AAA!

HAHA

JAMA-P ... YOU TRAITOR !!

MISS PEACH ...

Aaa! THE SACRED FOUR SOME-THING ...

I'LL KILL YOU BOTH TOGETHER.

NO, JAMA-P !!

I W-WON'T LET MISS PEACH DIE-P!!

WHAT !?

UMMMM

SACRED PENDULE DAISY BLIZZARD!

SACRED LIPLINER LILY RAINBOW!

KLIRR KLIRR KLIRR

LILY! DAISY!

SSSZZ

PLUIE!

!!

WE WERE HINDERED-- IT WAS A BIT DIFFICULT TO MOVE.

SORRY WE'RE SO LATE!

You're okay now.

PANT

PANT

EVEN IN THIS DEMON SPACE THAT SAPS ANGEL ENERGY...

YOU HAVE NO CHANCE OF WINNING WHEN IT'S FOUR AGAINST ONE!

AFTER ALL, I ALREADY HAVE ONE OF THE SACRED FOUR SOME-THINGS RIGHT HERE IN MY HAND...!!

WELL THEN, PERHAPS I'LL RETREAT FOR TODAY ...

HEH ...

THE SACRED FOUR ...

MAMA'S RING !!

OH NO! STOP!

THE SACRED FOUR SOME-THINGS!

HOHOHO

WHAT !?

KYAA !?

GHOOO

OH ...!

THE SOCCER TEAM'S PRACTICING LIKE NOTHIN' HAPPENED.

AND IT LOOKS LIKE THE DAMAGE TO THE SCHOOL BUILDINGS NEVER HAPPENED.

ON THE ROOF!

WE'RE ...

WAMM

OUCH!

HE'S GONE ...

SIR LIMONE ...

...

IT SEEMS LIKE THEY HAVE NO MEMORY OF WHAT HAPPENED.

SORRY ...

IT'S MY FAULT THAT ONE OF THE SACRED FOUR SOME-THINGS ...

IF ONLY WE HAD ARRIVED JUST A BIT EARLIER ...

CURSE IT!

WAS THAT JUST AN ILLUSION?

BUT ...

THAT'S RIGHT!

DON'T WORRY! WE'LL GO GET IT BACK!

UR ...

MOMOKO ...

IT'S NOT TO HELP *ALL* THE ANGELS!!

IT'S TO HELP MISS PEACH !!

I don't even like you-P !!

STUBBORNLY SUSPICIOUS

Whoa!

A DEMON ON THE ANGELS' SIDE!? CAN'T TRUST YOU!!

ME TOO-P! LEMME HELP, TOO!

FOR MISS PEACH, I'LL DO ANYTHING-P!! ♡

All-P! MISS PEACH RISKED HER LIFE TO SAVE ME!

...
THANKS.

SNIFF

IF YOU SAY SO, MISS PEACH, THEN I'LL GET ALONG WITH THEM-P!

SCHNURR SCHNURR

PLEASE TRY TO GET ALONG WITH THEM.

BUT, YOU KNOW, THEY'RE BOTH MY DEAR FRIENDS.

HANASAKI

WE SHALL GET IT BACK!

CHEER UP, MOMOKO.

YEAH ...

SOOO *NOT* CUTE!

GRRRRR

HEE

Momoko age 2, with Mama

MAMA'S HAND WITH THE RING ON HER FINGER ...

MAMA ...

MISS PEACH ...

SCHLUCK

NOW IT'S ...

OH OH..

BUT NOW, THAT RING ...

I CAN REMEMBER IT SO CLEARLY.

DODOOOOOM

BAM

MOMOKO! ♡ I'M HOME!

HM?

LEAVE DINNER TO ME TONIGHT ...

FINISHED WORK EARLY, FOR A CHANGE.

P-

PAPA!

Posing as a stuffed animal.

YOU'VE BEEN LOOKING AT PHOTOS OF MAMA ... AND CRYING ...

MY DEAR ...

MAMA... DIDN'T ACTUALLY DIE.

?

GUESS IT'S ABOUT TIME I TOLD YOU.

YOU'RE ALREADY IN JUNIOR HIGH...

WHAT ...?

ONE DAY, SHE SUDDENLY LEFT.

MY DEAREST MOMOKO ...

IT WAS TEN YEARS AGO ...

HACH

WHAT'S GOIN' ON ...?

HERE'S MY RING TO REMEMBER ME WITH... PLEASE TREASURE IT...

I'M SORRY, MY LITTLE MOMOKO.

THERE'S SOME-THING MAMA HAS TO DO.

HEY!

OF COURSE, I RAN AFTER HER.

AT THE VERY LEAST, I WANTED TO KNOW WHY.

BUT ...

PLEASE WATCH OVER MOMOKO!!

DON'T ASK ME ANY-THING. JUST LET ME GO.

IF I TELL, YOU AND MOMOKO MIGHT COME TO HARM.

WHY'D YOU TELL ME SHE DIED !?

WHY !?

BUT... BUT...

...I JUST COULDN'T FIND HER.

I DIDN'T WANT TO TELL YOU UNTIL YOU WERE OLD ENOUGH TO UNDERSTAND MAMA'S FEELINGS.

SHE LEFT BECAUSE SHE LOVED US SO MUCH...THERE MUST'VE BEEN SOMETHING SHE DIDN'T WANT US TO GET INVOLVED IN.

...

MAMA DIDN'T ABANDON US.

MAMA'S FEELINGS ...

I THOUGHT THAT NOW, YOU'D BE ABLE TO UNDERSTAND ...

IT ALL MAKES MY HEAD SPIN.

SO MANY THINGS HAPPENIN' ALL AT ONCE ...

WHEW ...

A MAMA THAT LOVES ME SO MUCH ...!!

MY DEAREST MOMOKO ...

MAMA IS ALIVE.

I HAVE A MAMA!

ZZZ- P ...

SHE DIDN'T WANT US TO GET INVOLVED... IN WHAT!?

...YOU AND MOMOKO MIGHT COME TO HARM..

WHY'D SHE LEAVE?

BUT ...

THAT RING!

I BET IT'S THE KEY TO EVERY-THING!

AND NOW PLUIE HAS IT!!

WHY'D SHE LEAVE ME THAT RING!?

AND BESIDES ...

MOMOKO, AGE 3

DID SHE KNOW THAT WAS ONE OF THE SACRED FOUR SOMETHINGS?

AND IF SO, WHAT WAS THE THING THAT MAMA HAD TO DO?

MAMA... ARE YOU SAFE, WHEREVER YOU ARE !?

KLAP

...?

TONK

... A PEBBLE?

TONK

YOSUKE!

CAN YOU COME OUT?

HEY.

WHAT!?

WHAT'S GOING ON!?

WHY WHY WHY!?

DASH DASH

TRPP

Kyan

ZZZ P ...

Er ...

I FEEL LIKE YOU MIGHT BE INVOLVED IN SOMETHIN' DANGEROUS...

!

?

...BUT I JUST COULDN'T WAIT.

SORRY 'BOUT MAKING YOU COME OUT SO LATE...

HOW D'YOU GET SUCH A STRANGE IDEA?

WH- WHAT ARE YA SAYIN'?

... BUT I'M POSITIVE!

MY MIND'S ALL FOGGY, BUT...

NO, AROUND YOU!

I CAN'T SHAKE THE FEELING THAT ALL THESE WEIRD THINGS KEEP HAPPENIN' AROUND US...

SO I'VE BEEN WORRIED ...

I JUST COULDN'T WAIT 'TIL TOMORROW ...

YOU WENT HOME TODAY AS PALE AS A GHOST, LOOKING LIKE YOU'D JUST DIED! DIDN'T YOU!?

AND TODAY, TOO!

YOSUKE ...

I CAN'T GET YOU INVOLVED ANY MORE.

I JUST CAN'T TELL YOU.

I CAN'T TELL ...

BUT ...

but

THANKS FOR YOUR CONCERN ...

I'VE NEVER SEEN YOU LOOK THIS TROUBLED, MOMO-P.

IT'S OKAY... I WON'T ASK ANY MORE QUESTIONS.

HUH ...?

I UNDER-STAND ...

I'M SORRY ...

TROPE

SCHLICK

!?

TROPF

wwwww

YOU ...

I'M SORRY!! I'M REALLY SORRY!!

WH-WH-WHAT'S THE MATTER !?

IS-IS IT REALLY TERRIBLE !?

I CAN'T FIGURE OUT WHAT'S WHAT!!

TOO MUCH ... THERE'S TOO MUCH GOING ON...

IT'S NOT LIKE YOU, YOSUKE ...

HEUL

Stupid!!

WHY ARE YA BEING SO NICE?

IT MAKES IT THAT MUCH HARDER FOR ME ...

SCHLUCK SCHLUCK

WHEN YOU ACT SO THOUGHT-FUL —

I'M SORRY ...

YOSUKE
...
YOSUKE
...!

WHEN YOU LEFT US ...

IS THIS HOW YOU FELT, MAMA?

DON'T ASK ME ANY-THING.

MAMA ...

YOSUKE, I DON'T WANT TO ...

BUT ...

I DON'T WANT TO LEAVE YOSUKE !!

KLAMMER

SSSS

ZZZZZZZ

OH ...

!?

WHA ... WHAT'S THAT !?

HEY!

MOMOKO ...!

YOSUKE!!

SFSS

YOSUKE.

YOSUKE ...!!

MOMOKO ...

OH ...

WANK

YOSUKE...

NO!!!

You must not involve him any more.

APHRODITE ERASED YOSUKE'S MEMORY ...

SHE HAD TO OVER-COME HER FEELINGS.

WHEN MAMA LEFT US ...

JUST LET ME GO ... DON'T ASK ME ANY QUESTIONS ...!

BUT I... I KEPT

INVOLVING YOSUKE MORE AND MORE.

'N NOW THIS !!

IF YOSUKE DOESN'T COME BACK SAFELY ...

I ...

IF ANY-THING HAPPENS TO YOSUKE ...

WHAT'LL I DO !?

SCHNARCH

YANAGIBA-SENPAI...

HINAGIKU!!

HINAGIKU, PHONE!

I DON'T KNOW WHAT I'D DO!

ZIP

YOW !?

OUTTA BED!

MOMOKO'S ON THE PHONE !!

WHAT'SA MATTER, MOMOKO !?

WHAT'S HAPPENED !?

HINAGIKU ---

NAW, IT'S ME.

WHASS GOIN' ON ... WHY'A CALL SO EARLY ...

HINAGIKU ...

!

...GOT YOSUKE ...

WHAAAT !?

IT'S YOSUKE ...

THE DEMON ...

CAN'T, GOTTA RUN !!

SHIW S

HINAGIKU! WHAT ABOUT BREAK-FAST?

SEE YA, I'M OFF !

strange girl ...

?

OH!

MISS PEACH ~~

All P! WHERE'S ...

SCHWEB SCHWEB

!!!

I'M SORRY, JAMA-P ...

All-P! YOU DISAPPEARED WHILE I WAS ASLEEP-P!

!

MISS PEACH ! ♡

UH ...

MISS PEACH ... YOU CRYING-P ?

OH ...!

MOMOKO--!

YOU ALL RIGHT !? YOU OKAY !?

IS IT REALLY TRUE THAT YOSUKE WAS *CAPTURED* !?

HEY ...?

MOMOKO ...?

YURI ... HINAGIKU ...

OH ...

BUHUU

!

...
I
JUST
...

WHAT
ON
EARTH
CAN
I DO
!?

WHAT
SHOULD
I DO
!?

MOMOKO
...

HMM.
HOPE
HE'S
STILL
ALIVE
AN' ALL
...

YA'
SAY
THIS IS
WHERE
YOSUKE
...

SO
...

I KNOW IT !

YOSUKE IS ALIVE.

DO DO DO M

YOU KNOW IT ?

IF THE DEMON INTENDED TO KILL YOSUKE,

WHY NOT DO IT RIGHT HERE?

I DON'T KNOW WHAT IT IS,

BUT THERE MUST BE SOME REASON HE WAS TAKEN *ALIVE.*

!

JAMA-P !

BUT ... HOW ?

I'VE GOT NO IDEA WHERE ...

THE THREE OF US WILL GO AND RESCUE HIM.

MOMOKO, STAY STRONG!

I'LL BE OKAY.

WUSSSCH

DON'T WORRY. JUST WAIT FOR ME-P!

IF PLUIE FINDS YOU, HE'LL *KILL* YOU!

NO !!

I'LL BETCHA I CAN FIND OUT WHERE YOSUKE IS. YES-P!

LEAVE IT TO ME-P !

WHAT !?

IT REALLY IS THE ONLY WAY WE CAN FIGURE OUT WHERE YOSUKE IS.

... IT CAN'T BE HELPED.

MOMOKO !

JAMA-P !

WE JUST HAVE TO LEAVE IT TO JAMA-P AND WAIT.

THE SOCCER FIELD WITH NO YOSUKE ...

YEAH

...SEEMS LIKE A COMPLETELY DIFFERENT PLACE.

Curses

THIS IS HARDLY THE TIME TO BE AT SCHOOL ...

NERVOS

NERVOS

gnash gnash

NERVOS

UNRUHE

UNRUHE

UNRUHE

'N I *HATE* RELYING ON THAT MINI-DEMON PET!!

I CAN'T STAND SEEIN' *MOMOKO* LIKE THAT.

YEAH, BUT ...

AND WE'D JUST WORRY OUR FAMILIES.

THERE REALLY ISN'T ANYTHING WE CAN ACCOMPLISH BY CUTTING SCHOOL.

YEAH, WELL HE SURE DOESN'T LIKE *ME!*

Humph

I DO THINK HE'LL COME THROUGH.

THAT LITTLE GUY REALLY LIKES *MOMOKO.*

OH, YANAGIBA-SENPAI ...

HEY THERE.

TAP

HUH !?

...THEY SAY HE HASN'T BEEN HOME SINCE.

HE'S NOT AT SCHOOL SO I CALLED HIS HOUSE...

SCHLUCK

IT'S ABOUT YOSUKE ...

ER ...

HAVE YOU ... HEARD ANYTHING FROM HIM?

W-WE HAVE NOT HEARD ANYTHING.

Er, yes ...

Right ?

BAFF.

WE DON'T KNOW NOTHIN' !

...
OH
...

UN-
HUH
...

YES
...

IF YOU
HEAR
FROM
HIM, LET
ME KNOW,
'KAY?

YEAH, BUT
WE CAN'T
RISK GETTIN'
HIM INVOLVED
...!

I
DON'T
LIKE
BEING
DIS-
HONEST-
HE
SEEMED
QUITE
WORRIED.

IF YANAGIBA-
SENPAI GETS
INVOLVED IN
THIS, TOO...

SHOCK

MOMOKO WATCHED IT HAPPEN' TO YOSUKE ...

YES.

!!

I FOUND IT! All-P! WHERE YOSUKE WAS TAKEN!

SCHWUPP

MISS PEACH.

IF YA KNOW WHERE IT IS, LET'S GET GOIN'!

A HOUSE IN THE RIFT?

HE'S IN A HOUSE IN THE *RIFT* - THE PLACE THAT CONNECTS THE DEMON WORLD TO THE HUMAN WORLD.

WHERE IS HE!?

WH-WHERE!?

I'LL TAKE YOU-P!

LEAVE IT TO ME-P!

IT'S JUST THE THREE OF US... HEADED STRAIGHT FOR THE ENEMY...!

Better not be a trap.

All-P!

YEAH, WELL WHO ASKED *YOU* TO COME-P?

Good little Jama!

GOOD JOB!

That's true...

I DON'T KNOW WHAT KIND OF DEMONS LIE IN WAIT ...

WE'LL BE IN *HUGE DANGER* IF WE JUST GO BY OUR-SELVES ...

BUT ...

BUT ...

I'M SO SORRY, EVERYONE ...

?

...

WE JUST HAVE TO !!

WE JUST HAVE TO RESCUE YOSUKE!

HINAGIKU'S RIGHT.

AND BESIDES, WE ARE ANGELS.

Not that I under-stand how that happened.

Don't cry-P

THAT'S WHAT FRIENDS ARE FOR! 'COURSE WE'LL HELP!!

WHADDYA TAKE US FOR !?

'N WE GOTTA GET THE SACRED FOUR SOMETHINGS RING BACK, ANYWAYS!

OH YEAH !

OH ...!

RESCUING PEOPLE CAPTURED BY DEMONS IS PAR FOR THE COURSE!

Ho ho NO NEED TO WORRY.

Boy ... YOU HAVEN'T BEEN THINKING 'BOUT ANYTHIN' BUT YOSUKE, HUH?

THAT'S RIGHT !

THE RING ... THE DEMON TOOK IT !!

THE DEMONS AREN'T GONNA GET AWAY.

SO LONG'S WE'RE AROUND -

BY THIS TIME TOMORROW, WE'LL HAVE GOTTEN THE RING BACK AND YOU'LL BE ON A DATE WITH YOSUKE.

RIGHT ...!
YOU SAID IT!
LET'S GO !!
YAY MISS PEACH !
WEDDING BEAUTIFUL FLOWER!
SWSHHH

UH ... LIKE THIS ?

HANG ON-A-P !!

WE'LL TELE-PORT.

FFFSSS

!!

...

LOOK ...

Ya think we can fly!?

Ai-P! Some angel!

WANK Fool! YA ZAPPED US INTO MID-AIR!

WUMP

KYAA!

Ungg

PLOP

... TH-THAT HOUSE ... IS THAT THE PLACE?

YOSUKE'S SURE TO BE THERE-P!

I smell 'im!

YES-P!

KINDA HARD TO BELIEVE ...!

RATHER AN ELEGANT PLACE FOR A DEMON ...

WAIT FOR US...

MOMOKO -O-O !

WE'LL GET YOU OUT OF THIS...

WE *WILL* !!

WE'VE GOT TO GET HIM OUT...!!

YOSUKE'S IN THERE ...

...I'VE GOT TO BE LIKE MAMA, WHO QUIETLY LEFT HOME TO PROTECT US FROM HARM..

FROM NOW ON ...

.....

AWESOME PAD.

Yeah!

SOMEDAY I'D LOVE TO LIVE IN A PLACE LIKE THAT WITH THE MAN OF MY DREAMS!

YOS ...

YOSUKE'S ...

THINK ABOUT WHAT COULD BE HAPPENIN' TO YOSUKE!

C'MON! GET SERIOUS!

YOU GUYS !!

I KINDA *WAS* SERIOUS ...

OH DEAR.

YOSUKE ...!?

OH ... OH!

IF THOU WOULDST SPARE THY DEAR ONES FROM MISFORTUNE ...

EXTINGUISH ALL THY CURRENT MEMORY... AND REAWAKEN THY MEMORY FROM AGES OLD.

CHARM PERSON ...!!

UNGH ...

PEA- ...

PEACH !!

WEDDING PEACH!

WEDDING PEACH!

MOMOKO !!

W...WAS ...?

C'MON! WHAT'S WRONG !?

OH ...

Daisy ...

MOMOKO !?

YOS ... YOSUKE ...

WHERE'S YOSUKE !?

I ... I DON'T REALLY GET IT, BUT ...

FOR A SECOND ...

I SAW YOSUKE, ALL CAPTURED ...WITH MY OWN EYES!

PLUIE WAS DOING SOME-THING ...

I THINK ...

... HE SAID "CHARM PERSON" ...

LIKE MAYBE AN ILLUSION, 'CUZ YOU'VE BEEN WORRYIN' SO MUCH?

PERHAPS YOU SENSED HIS THOUGHTS TELE-PATHICALLY.

TELL US WHAT YOU SAW.

CHARM PERSON !?

AI-P! CHARM PERSON IS A FRIGHTENING SPELL.

IT CONFUSES THE HEART AND MIND, AND DIMINISHES THE VICTIM'S POWER OF JUDGMENT!

!!

WE ARE ABOUT TO GO INTO *ENEMY TERRITORY.* WE MUST HAVE A *PLAN.*

WAIT. IT COULD BE DANGEROUS TO ACT RECKLESSLY.

GOTTA GO NOW !!

'NUFF TALK!

LET'S GET THE SHOW ON THE ROAD!

UM .... YEAH!

My dear, you won't live to see your old age.

PLAN-SHPLAN! IT'S FINE TALK, BUT THERE AIN'T TIME!

WH-WHAT WAS THAT?

FFFZZ !?

SO, LOVE ANGELS, YOU'VE MANAGED TO MAKE IT HERE.

THERE'S THE DEMON ...!!

YOU ARE PREPARED, I HOPE ...

... DEAR LOVE ANGELS!

WHADDYA MEAN !?

THAT MEANS ...

YOSUKE'S REALLY HERE !?

YOU SHALL NOT GET TO THAT YOUNG MAN ...

... BECAUSE YOU WILL DIE RIGHT HERE.

!!

YOUR EFFORTS ARE IN VAIN.

HO HO HO

AND LITTLE DEMON JAMA-P ...

BRINGING THE LOVE ANGELS HERE ...

WHAT A TRAITOR.

SCHLUCK

IS YOSUKE ALL RIGHT !?

IS HE ALL RIGHT !?

HHOOOO

AH ...

ALLOW ME TO SHOW YOU.

YOS ...

OH ... OH !!

YOS
...

IT'S
ME,
MOMOKO!

YOSUKE
!!

THAT
YOUTH
IS WITH
PLUIE...

...
HE'S
OURS
NOW!

IF YOU
WANT HIM
BACK...
YOU HAVE
TO DEFEAT
ME FIRST.

IT'S GROWING DARKER ...!!

!!

Ai.

HO HO HO

I AM NOCTURNE OF THE NIGHT.

NOT ONE PERSON HAS EVER BEEN ABLE TO BREAK OUT OF THIS DARKNESS THAT I SO LOVE ...

OW !

SLASH

Kyaaa!!

SLASH

ZISCH

OUCH !

SLASH

I LET NO ONE SURVIVE THIS WORLD OF DEATH ...

IN THIS DARKNESS, THE POWER'S ALL MINE.

LOOKING FOR ME, MY LOVE ANGELS?

F-FINGER-NAILS !?

A TWISTED HATEFUL DEMON FULL O' SPITE.

YOU'RE TALKIN' TO A DEMON.

WE ALL NEED TO HELP AND BE HELPED BY OTHERS TO LIVE.

YOU ARE MISTAKEN!

ALL ALONE ... THIS IS THE LONELY WORLD I LOVE.

BUT DON'T YOU HAVE FRIENDS?

OR A *SWEET-HEART*, OR SOME-ONE YOU *LOVE*?

YOU LIKE LONE-LINESS?

NOCTURNE?

THOSE ARE ...

FRIENDS? LOVE?

TSCHACK

THOSE ARE NOTHING BUT *EMPTY WORDS* MEANT TO DECEIVE!!

KYAA!

PEACH!

KYAA!

SLASH

YIKES!

CURSE IT ...

NOT VERY IMPRESSIVE, MY LOVE ANGELS.

WHAT A SIGHT YOU ARE ...

HOHOHO

IF I CAN FOCUS ON SENSING HER PRESENCE ...

...

THAT'S IT! IT'S NO USE TRYIN' TO SEE THIS ENEMY WITH MY EYES!!

I GOTTA SENSE HER!!

SHE WOULDN'T STAND A CHANCE ...

IF I COULD JUST SEE HER ...

SEE HER ...!?

OH ...!

SACRED PENDULUM DAISY BLIZZARD !!

THERE !

HUH ?

GET THE SACRED MIRROR AND REFLECT THAT LIGHT ONTO NOCTURNE!

PEACH !

DRAT !

THE DARK-NESS IS BREAK-ING!! MAYBE IF...

IF WE CAN USE THE POWER OF THE MIRROR TO ENHANCE THAT LIGHT ...

QUICKLY!! BEFORE THE DARKNESS TAKES OVER AGAIN!

GLUH

OH ... OKAY !

FLASHHH

HUH ...? SING-ING?

WHILE SHE'S BLINDED ...

NOW !

OH ...

MY EYES ...!!

LOOK INSIDE NOCTURNE'S SHADOW!

I CAN SEE SOME-THING ...

... THE SINGING'S COMING FROM THERE !!

I'VE SEEN HER SOME-WHERE ...

WHO IS THAT WOMAN SINGING ?

SING US ONE MORE ...

NOCTURNE.

SUCH A LOVELY VOICE, AS USUAL.

NOCTURNE!?

SURE.

HER SWEET-HEART ...?

NOCTURNE'S PAST ...?

IS THE SACRED MIRROR SHOWING US A REFLECTION OF...

THAT SMILE ... SHE LOOKS SO HAPPY ...

WITHOUT THIS BRACELET ...

WHAT ...? I CAN'T ...

LET ME TRY ON THAT BRACELET.

MY DEAR ...

I WANT TO WEAR IT AND SING, TOO!

...YOU CAN NO LONGER SING, RIGHT?

IT'S A SONG AMULET.

BUT SINCE IT'S YOU ...

BY FAMILY DECREE, IT'S FORBIDDEN TO HAND IT TO AN OUTSIDER ...

I'M YOUR GOOD FRIEND, RIGHT?

PLEEEASE ... COME ON ...

YES ...

... HMPH.

WH-WHAT DO YOU MEAN ...!?

NOCTURNE'S BEAUTIFUL SINGING VOICE IS *MINE* AT LAST!

HEH HEH ...

KLINK

OH!

PAMM

I'VE NO MORE USE FOR YOU NOW!

BUT ...

GOODBYE ...

STUPID NOCTURNE!

I ONLY SPENT TIME WITH YOU BECAUSE I WANTED THIS BRACELET.

Heh heh

I JUST WANT TO DIS-APPEAR ...

I'M ALL ALONE ...

MY FRIENDS HAVE LEFT ME ... SO HAS MY SWEET-HEART.

MY SINGING VOICE IS GONE ... AND I HAVE AN UGLY SCAR.

I'VE BROKEN THE FAMILY DECREE AND LOST THE BRACELET ...

NOT A SINGLE PERSON HAD LOVED ME FOR MYSELF!!

I WANT TO DISAPPEAR

SCH LUCK

MY CHEST HURTS ...
AM I FEELING NOCTURNE'S FORLORN HEART?
IS THAT THE PAIN I FEEL ...?
YOU SEE ... LOVE IS JUST AN ILLUSION ...
FRIEND-SHIP IS ONLY SKIN DEEP ...
BUT THAT DOESN'T MATTER ...
YOU HAVE NO NEED FOR SUCH THINGS ...
FOR YOU HAVE WONDERFUL POWERS HIDDEN WITHIN YOU ...

YOU CAN BE ALL ALONE IN THE WONDERFUL WORLD OF DARKNESS THAT AWAITS YOU.

COME WITH ME, NOCTURNE.

I CAN HELP YOU DRAW ON THOSE POWERS ...

IT AWAITS YOU, NOCTURNE OF THE NIGHT ...

NO!

DON'T GO, NOCTURNE ...

YOU ...

SO THAT'S WHY ...

BOY ...

Oh !

BUT STILL, YOU MUSTN'T JUST HIDE IN THE DARKNESS.

I DO SYMPATHIZE WITH YOU ...

Curses!

THAT *ROTTEN DANG PLUIE*, PREYING ON PEOPLE'S WEAK-NESSES!

... STIR UP THE LOATHSOME MEMORIES I BURIED IN THE DEPTHS OF DARKNESS ...

SHUT UP !

HOW DARE YOU! HOW DARE YOU ...

NOCTURNE ...

I KNOW HOW PAINFUL THAT MUST'VE BEEN ...

... BUT DON'T GIVE UP !!

SOMEDAY, FOR SURE, YOU'LL MEET SOMEONE SPECIAL WHO REALLY UNDERSTANDS ...

CUZ... CUZ *LOVE* IS *NOT* JUST AN ILLUSION ... *LOVE TRULY EXISTS* !!

PEACH ...

WHA- ...

PITCH

HOW COULD AN *ANGEL* UNDER-STAND MY *FEELINGS* !!

TSCHACK

DON'T MAKE ME LAUGH WITH YOUR *HOLLOW WORDS* !!

I DON'T WANT TO FIGHT YOU ...!!

STOP IT, NOCTURNE!

TACK

YOU'RE DEALING WITH A *DEMON* HERE!!

DON'T BE STUPID !!

LILY RAINBOW-!

SACRED LIP-LINER ...

!

BiB BiB BiB

BiB BiB BiB

IT'S MY TURN NOW !!

HMPH... IS THAT THE BEST A LOVE ANGEL CAN DO?

SHE SHREDDED THE RAINBOW ...!!

WISHH

GRRR

HEYY !!

HER HAIR ...!!

WHAT'S THE MATTER, LOVE ANGEL ...

AREN'T YOU GOING TO DEFEAT ME SO YOU CAN RESCUE YOSUKE AND YOUR FRIENDS?

IS THERE NO WAY I CAN RESCUE NOCTURNE FROM THE DARKNESS ...?

IS THERE NO WAY ...?

NOCTURNE ...

STOP ....

GRR

YOSUKE ...!!

LILY ! DAISY !!

Ung

JAMA-P ...

BUT ...

IF I DON'T DO SOME-THING, EVERY-ONE'S GONNA ...

IF I DON'T DO SOME-THING ...

I CAN'T ...

I CAN'T JUST KILL HER ... I DON'T WANT TO ...

BLITZ

STOP IT NOWWW !

STOP IT !

UNGG ...

DAISY !

!

MY PRECIOUS FRIENDS !!

DON'T KILL MY FRIENDS !!

KYAAAAAA

...HM.

RAUSCH

AAAHA

NOCTURNE ...

...

WE DID IT!

EVERY-THING IS BACK TO NORMAL!

WE DEFEATED NOCTURNE !!

I WASN'T ABLE TO HELP HER AT ALL.

Huh ?

WHAT ?

WHATSA MATTER, MOMOKO?

Gloomy face!

I DIDN'T KNOW THERE WERE SUCH SAD DEMONS ...

HAPPY ...?

WE DEFEATED NOCTURNE. AREN'T YA HAPPY?

SHE HAD SUCH A PAINFUL EXPERIENCE ...

AND SHE DIED WITHOUT EVER BEING ABLE TO TRUST AGAIN ...

I S'POSE IT HAD TO BE THIS WAY...

BUT I'M NOT HAPPY ...

THAT'S WHY-P I LOVE YOU !!

MIEEP!

OH MISS PEACH! YOU'RE SO KIND-P TO EVERY-ONE!

WEDEL WEDEL

MISS PEACH ...

POOR DEMON ...

DON'T *FORGET* WE HAD TO DEFEAT THAT DEMON TO BE ABLE TO *FREE YOSUKE!*

SO NOW *WE'RE* THE *BAD GUYS* !?

OH YEAH ?

WHAT ...

?

THAT'S TRUE!

BUT AT PRESENT YOU'RE ACTING LIKE LITTLE MISS GOODY-GOODY.

'N YA KNOW, PEACH, *YOU'RE THE ONE* THAT DID IT!

YES ... BUT ...

HOW'DYA THINK *WE* FEEL--WHAT WITH YOU *CRYIN'* ALL THE TIME!!

CUT THE *TRAGIC HEROINE* SHTICK.

THE TWO OF US CAME TO THIS FRIGHTFULLY DANGEROUS PLACE FOR YOU!

DAISY ...

LILY ...

BAMM

IT'S YOU, MISS PEACH !

LEMME GO-P !

HN ?

... YEAH-P ... IT'S ALL MISS PEACH'S FAULT-A-P!

AND THEN YOU RESCUED ME TO MAKE ME LOOK LIKE A *TRAITOR-P* TO MASTER PLUIE!!

YOU MEDDLED WITH MY WORK-A-P!

YOU MADE MASTER PLUIE HATE ME !!

AIYA-P MISS PEACH! YOU TRICKED ME!!

'N IT'S YOUR FAULT ...

THAT PLUIE HAS ONE OF THE SACRED FOUR SOME-THINGS!

AND THAT WE WERE DRAWN INTO THIS WHOLE BATTLE IN THE FIRST PLACE!

IT'S ALL BECAUSE WE WERE FRIENDS WITH YOU, MOMOKO!

NOT ONLY DID YOU TURN ME INTO A TRAITOR ...

YOU BROUGHT ME INTO DANGER ...

AND I BET YOU DON'T EVEN CARE IF I GET KILLED-A-P !!

BUT
...

IT'S ALL YOUR FAULT !!

WHAT ...?

STOP IT ...

STOP IT ...!

WHAT ARE YOU ALL SAYING ...!?

WHY IS EVERYONE SAYING THAT !?

MY FAULT ?

WE WOULD *NOT* HAVE HAD TO BECOME DEMON-FIGHTING ANGELS!!

IF YOU WEREN'T AROUND ...

IF IT WEREN'T FOR YOU, I COULD'VE STAYED-A-P WITH MASTER PLUIE!

IF YA HADN'T BEEN SO CARE-LESS.

YOSUKE WOULDN'T HAVE GOTTEN CAPTURED IN THE FIRST PLACE...

BUT ...!!

KYAAA!!

TSCHACK

I CAN'T TELL YOU HOW MUCH I RESENT YOU!!

... THAT YOU DESTROYED OUR HAPPY LIVES AS ORDINARY GIRLS !?

YOU DO REALIZE ...

YURI ...?

... RESENTS ME ...!?

LILY ...

KYAAA

HINAGIKU TOO !?

CHWOSH

SHE'S RIGHT !

WE'D BE BETTER OFF IF YA DIDN'T EXIST !!

YOU ALL RIGHT !? YOU OKAY !?

MOMOKO ...

HINAGIKU! YURI!!

THE THREE OF US WILL GO AND RESCUE HIM...

MY, WHAT'S THIS?

WHY NOT FIGHT BACK A LITTLE?

NGGG.

BOMP

NO ...!

OR DO YOU INTEND TO SIMPLY ALLOW US TO KILL YOU?

I SHALL STRIKE THE FINAL BLOW!

IF YOU HAVE NO INTENTION OF FIGHTING BACK ...

ISCHACK

CAN'T BE ...

... THIS CAN'T BE YURI AND HINAGIKU.

THIS MUST BE ...

!

Yaaa!!

KLING

THIS IS THE WORK OF DEMONS !!

THE DEMONS !

WHAT ... WHAT'CHA SAYIN' !?

THE DEMONS MUST'VE POSSESSED THEM!!

I AM THE ONE THAT DREW YOU INTO THIS BATTLE.

YES ... IT IS MY FAULT!

BUT... EVEN SO !

BUT -

HOW MUCH OF OUR LIVES WE'VE HAD TO *SACRIFICE* ...!?

DO YOU HAVE ANY IDEA ...

EVERY-THING WE'RE SAYING IS *TRUE!*

I JUST *KNOW* THEY WOULDN'T !!

YURI AND HINAGIKU *WOULDN'T* RESENT ME!!

WE'VE DONE *EVERY-THING* TOGETHER!

—..

THROUGH GOOD TIMES AND BAD, THROUGH LAUGHTER AND TEARS ...

WE'VE ALWAYS STUCK TOGETHER ...

I'M SURE YOU REMEMBER !!

... C'MON YOU TWO ...

...

THE THREE OF US HAD A BOND!

NO ... WE *HAVE* A BOND!

A BOND FORGED THROUGH THE BATTLES WE'VE FOUGHT TOGETHER ...!!

YOU ...

BA GN

Uhhh

BBB A SH 1

YOU SHUDDUP !!

KRACHEN

HOW CAN I CHANGE THEM BACK TO THEM-SELVES?

Uhn ...

MY FRIENDS !!

KEUCH

!

KLING

...

PREPARE TO DIE, WEDDING PEACH!

FRIENDS, INDEED! THERE WAS NEVER A BOND.

IN OUR BOND OF FRIEND-SHIP!

I BELIEVE ...

...
IS STRONGER THAN ANY DEMON TRICK!

OUR FRIEND-SHIP ...

WHA ...

WILL EVER CHANGE HOW I FEEL !!

NOTHING YOU DO ...

RATSCH

WHAT !?

YOU TWO ARE MY DEAREST FRIENDS !!

AND I LOVE YOU !!

OUR BOND OF *FRIENDSHIP* WILL NEVER BE BROKEN !!

MOMOKO ...!

MO ...

MO ... MOKO ...

TEARS ...!

KLONK

MOMOKO
!!

MOMOKO
...

YURI
...

HINAGIKU
...

WHAT HAVE I DONE ...!?

I'M SORRY ...

I'M SO SORRY, MOMOKO!

WILL YOU STILL LIKE ME-P ?

MISS PEACH ~~~

STUPID FOOL GIRL !!

YOU SHOULDA FOUGHT BACK 'N NOT WORRIED 'BOUT US.

OH, YOU ALL ...

FFSSS

MOMOKO ...

SCHNIEF

HEUL

I'M SO GLAD !!

WAHHH .... I'M GLAAAD !

SO IT WAS *YOUR DOING*, AFTER ALL.

Hmph

A NASTY LOW TRICK!

MY ILLUSION ... IT'S BROKEN !?

NOCTURNE!

MY ILLUSION ... BUT HOW ...

'COURSE, I GUESS *YOU* WOULDN'T UNDER-STAND !!

THAT'S WHAT YA CALL *FRIEND-SHIP!*

...

LET US GO ON OUR WAY!!

PLEASE! LET'S STOP THIS USELESS BATTLE.

YOU'VE PLAYED YOUR TRUMP CARD ... AND IT FAILED.

NOW WHAT WILL YOU DO?

YOU MAY HAVE BROKEN THE ILLUSION ...

THIS GAME ISN'T OVER YET ...

... NOT YET!

!

WHOOOO

BUT THAT'S NOT MY ONLY POWER !!

BASH

RUN !

IT'S COMIN' !

SHE'S UNSTEADY ..:!!

IT'S 'CUZ WE BEAT HER UP!!

MISS PEACH !!

UNGH ...

WANK

WHI

SWISH

PEACH!!

FZZZZZ

DIE, WEDDING PEACH.

CURSE IT!!

W-WE'RE NOT GOING TO MAKE IT!

ZONG
G
GG

OH ...
DAISY !!

WHOSH!!

OH
...
OH!

HINAGIKU
...!

HINAGIKU
...

HOW
DARE
YOU
...

HOW
DARE
YOU
HURT
HINAGIKU
!!

BRIDAL FLASH !!

SHE'S SMILING ...?

!

UHNG
...

SMILING
...?
BUT I
SAW
TEARS,
TOO
...

NOCTURNE
...

HOW'S
THE
WOUND
...!?

DAISY
!

ARE
YOU
ALRIGHT
!?

...
WOUND?

OH
...?

WHY
...?

ZONG

BUT
JUST A
SECOND
AGO
...

HMM
...
HUNH
?

HUNH
?

BUT WHY ...

... IT'S THE ONLY EXPLANA-TION ...

IT MUST HAVE BEEN AN ILLUSION NOCTURNE CREATED.

ILLUSION ?

RIGHT !?

AREN'T YOU GOING TO GO RESCUE HIM?

WHAT'S THE MATTER ...?

SO ... YOU INTENDED TO DIE ...

UM ARM

NOCTURNE!!

...

OHH ...!!

SO THAT'S WHY ...!?

THAT SMILE ... THOSE TEARS ...

Hmph ... ...

DON'T BE FOOLISH ...

YOU USED THE ILLUSION OF THE SPEAR TO PROVOKE HER INTO USING THE BRIDAL FLASH.

... SOMEHOW I UNDERSTAND WHY YOU ALONE WERE NOT DECEIVED BY MY ILLUSIONS ...

... YOU SHED HEARTFELT TEARS FOR SOMEONE LIKE ME ...

IF I'D ONLY HAD A FRIEND LIKE YOU ...

THAT DAY LONG AGO ...

...

THERE'S NO NEED FOR YOU TO REGRET DEFEATING ME ...

BECAUSE OF YOU ...

I'VE REGAINED MY FORMER SELF BEFORE I DIE.

THANK YOU ... WEDDING PEACH.

AT LAST ...

I CAN ESCAPE FROM THE LONELY WORLD OF DARKNESS I'VE DWELLED IN FOR SO LONG ...

NO ...

NOW ...

HURRY ... GO TO THE MANSION.

IT'S TOO SAD- !!

TO HAVE TO DIE TO FINALLY ESCAPE THE DARKNESS!

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ONCE PLUIE HAS COMPLETED THE *RITE* ...

THAT YOUNG MAN WILL NEVER RETURN TO YOU.

... SO HURRY!

YOU MUST HURRY TO SAVE HIM ...

...

AND JUST WHY ...

WHAT EXACTLY IS THE RITE FOR !?

SO YOSUKE WAS CAPTURED FOR THAT *RITE* !?

NOCTURNE!?

...HURRY!

HURRY...OR HE'LL...

OH...!

!

AZ PA P

MORNIN' ALREADY ... DARN BATTLE TOOK ALL NIGHT.

SUNRISE ...

NOCTURNE ...

REST IN PEACE ...

PEACH ?

I FAILED ...

...

MAYBE NOCTURNE WOULDN'T HAVE HAD TO DIE ...!!

IF ONLY I ...

IF ONLY I'D BEEN *STRONGER* ...

...?

I HATE THIS ...

I HATE THIS FEELING ...

PEACH ...

REMEMBER, IN THE END YOU *DID SAVE* NOCTURNE.

IF IT WEREN'T FOR YOU, SHE WOULD HAVE CONTINUED TO LIVE IN ETERNAL DARKNESS ...

I HATE IT ...

YEAH ...

DID YA SEE HOW PEACEFUL SHE LOOKED ...!?

TO PREVENT OTHERS FROM BECOMING ...

WE GOTTA DEFEAT PLUIE!

WE MUST WORK TO PREVENT OTHERS FROM BECOMING LONELY DEMONS LIKE NOCTURNE.

BESIDES, WE MUSTN'T LET THIS BREAK OUR SPIRIT.

THAT'S RIGHT. WE MUST HEED NOCTURNE'S WARNING!

WE GOTTA RESCUE YOSUKE AS SOON AS WE CAN!

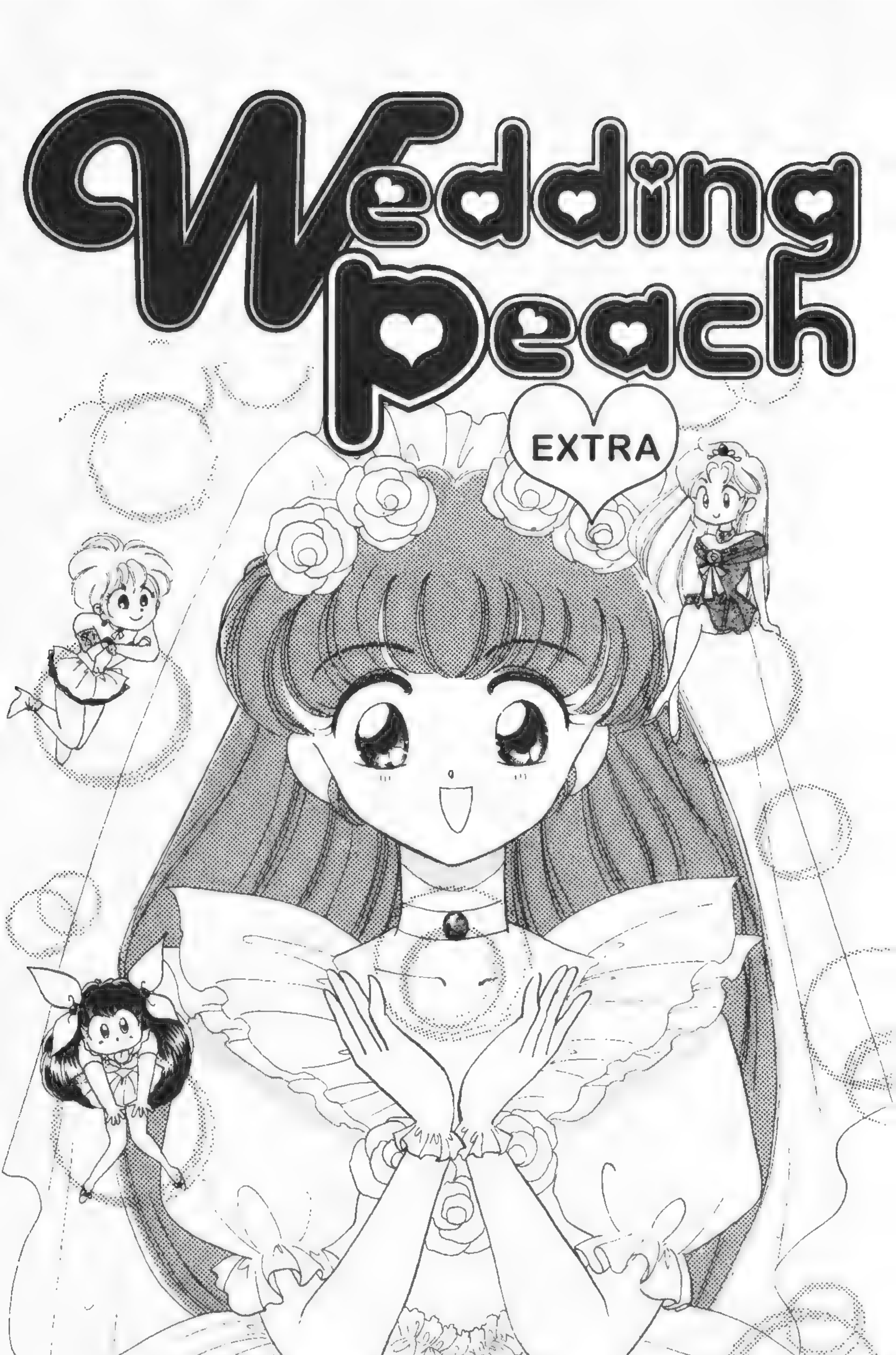
LET'S GO !

YOSUKE ...!!

YES !

TO BE CONTINUED!!

Wedding Peach EXTRA



KYAAA

YES, NEXT MONTH ...

REALLY !?

YOU'RE GONNA GET MARRIED, TEACHER ?

LET *FLOWER TAMANO* TAKE CARE OF THE FLOWERS!

MY FATHER'S WEDDING BOUTIQUE SHALL PROVIDE THE DRESS!

ONE MONTH LATER – THE WEDDING ♡

AND SO ...

LEAVE IT TO ME... PAPA AND I WILL TAKE STUNNING SHOTS!

DON'T FORGET WHAT'S MOST IMPORTANT– THE PHOTOGRAPHY!

Er ... Class ....

BUT WHATSA WEDDING IF YA GOT NO *FLOWERS?*

ACTUALLY, THE WEDDING DRESS IS MOST IMPORTANT.

YOSUKE, YOU PIG ...

Stop eatin' fer a sec and look!

YUM YUM.

YUP.

ARRANGED BY YOURS TRULY!

DON'TCHA THINK THE FLOWERS LOOK COOL?

ISN'T THE WEDDING DRESS LOVELY? I SELECTED IT MYSELF.

OKAY OKAY OKAY !!

AND ALSO-

MOMOKO !

STOP SPACING OUT. I NEED THE TRIPOD!

LUCKY THEM ... THEY GET TO SIT AND EAT THAT FEAST ...

SSZZZ

NOW THE BRIDE AND GROOM WILL CUT THE CAKE ...

I THINK PHOTO-GRAPHERS GET A BUM DEAL ...

I'M GONNA PULL OUT THE STOPS !!

MY DAUGHTER'S HOMEROOM TEACHER!

Yes, siree!

THAT'S THE GOAL OF US DEMON FOLK-JAMA!

TEAR ASUNDER BONDS OF LOVE! SEIZE ALL LOVING HEARTS!

WHAT'S SO LOVELY ?

"LOVELY" COUPLE ...?

?

AHEM. THE LOVELY COUPLE WILL NOW CUT THE CAKE...

OH YEAH !?

WELL I DON'T SEE WHAT'S APPEALING 'BOUT A PREACHY TEACHER!

I'M CALLING IT OFF !

WHY WOULD I MARRY SOMEONE LIKE YOU !?

TEACHER !

T- T- T-

GL

PL

PLATSCH

Mmf

YOU ASKED FOR IT!

OH YEAH !?

THAT DOES IT !

SWSHU

CALM DOWN ...!

HEY, YOU TWO ...

...

KYAA.

LING.

SHUT UP !!

SHE HAS JAMA-P'S MARK ON HER HAND!

!

WEDDING BEAUTIFUL FLOWER !!

THEY MUST BOTH BE POSSESSED BY JAMA-P'S!

GOTTA TRANS-FORM !

LOVE ANGEL !?

HOW IMPUDENT JAMA !!

POM

LOVE ANGEL, WEDDING PEACH!

ANGEL DAISY !

PEACH IS EXTREMELY DISPLEASED !!

YOU HAVE DESTROYED TEACHER'S WEDDING AND TORN THEIR LOVE APART.

ANGEL LILY !

BLITZ

JUST YOU JAMAJAMA WATCH THE POWER OF JAMA-P!!

THEY MERGED !!

KRACK!!

AN E-EARTH-QUAKE !?

GHOOO

YOSUKE!

...
TO
HELP
'EM
...

G-
GOTTA
HURRY
...

ARRGH

UNHH

Heavy!

POLTER! POLTER!

KYAA!

KREEK

OH
!

DAISY
!!

LILY
!

IF I MOVE FROM HERE, YOSUKE WILL BE CRUSHED.

YOSUKE ...!

WHAT CAN I DO !?

OH NO! IF I DON'T DO SOMETHING, YOSUKE AND I WILL BOTH BE CRUSHED!

GRRRRR

I'LL CREATE ANOTHER EARTHQUAKE ...

AND JAMA CRUSH YOU JUST LIKE THE OTHER TWO!

GHOOO

LILY ! DAISY !!

GLUE

DAISY BLIZZARD !!

bink

OH ...

WHAT !?

GLUE

SCHWEB

OHH!

BANG

PEACH!

ZUBO

NOW'S YOUR CHANCE, WEDDING PEACH!

WEDDING SWORD!!

WEDDING PEACH CLIT !!

ZOONG

ARRRGH-A-P!

POM

FSSS

MUCH HAPPY ~~~

LILY, DAISY ...

YOU'RE OKAY !

PEACH !!

Yay !

CHAOS

TEACHER ...!

TEACHER !

MISS HANASAKI ...

TEACHER !!

Yuko !!

WAAA

Go Go Momo-P!

Part I

Story: Mami Tachibana

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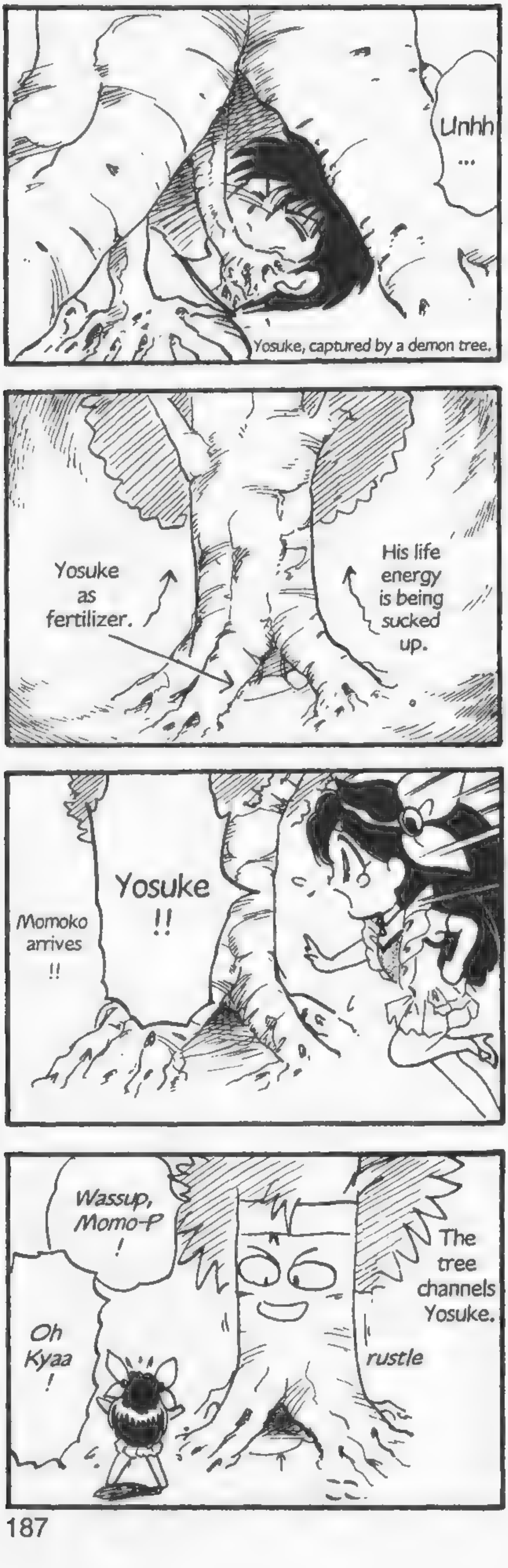
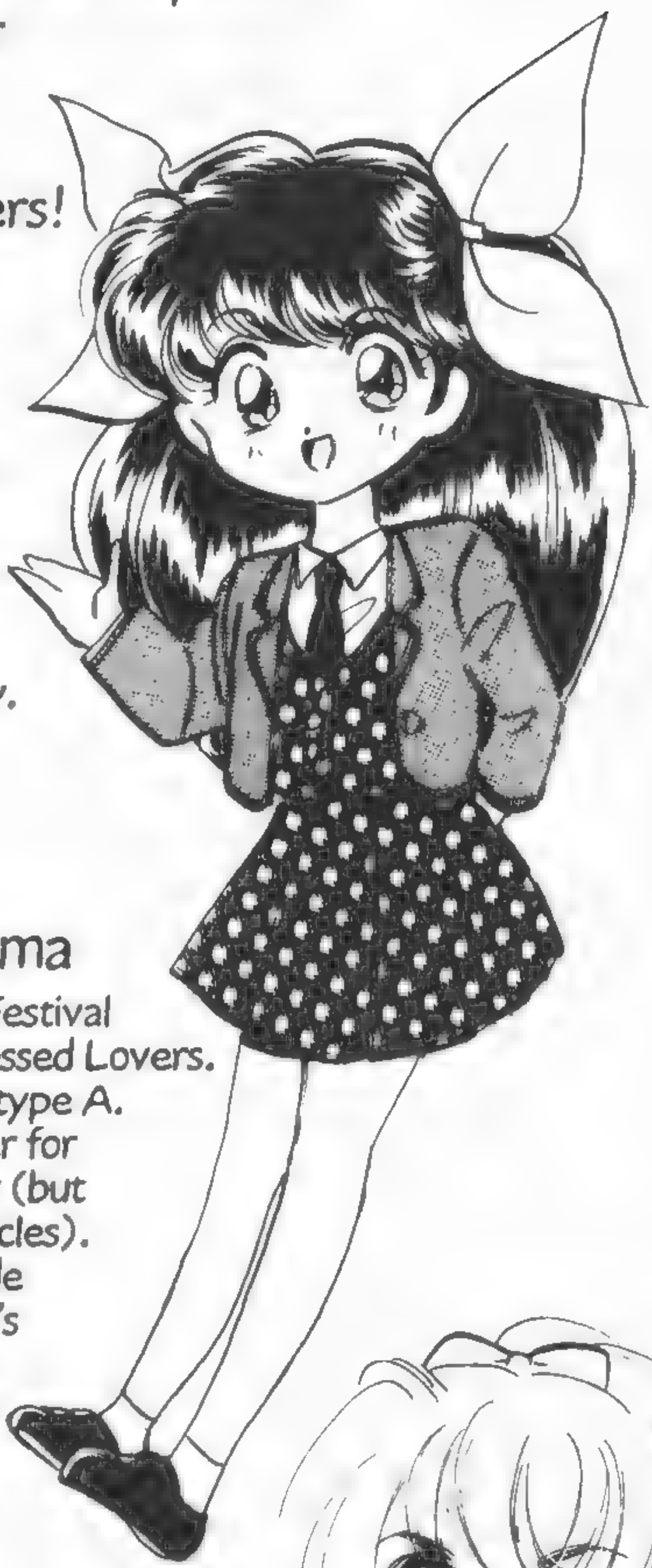


Q & A Corner★

Readers ask, and Nao responds!
The most popular
request was for...

A profile of the three characters!



Momoko Hanasaki

Born March 3, Doll's Day. Pisces, blood type O. 1st year, group A, Hanazono Gakuen Middle School Newspaper club (with Yuri and Hinagiku), where she's the photographer. Hobby: photography. Sometimes she assists her photographer father.

Yuri Tanima

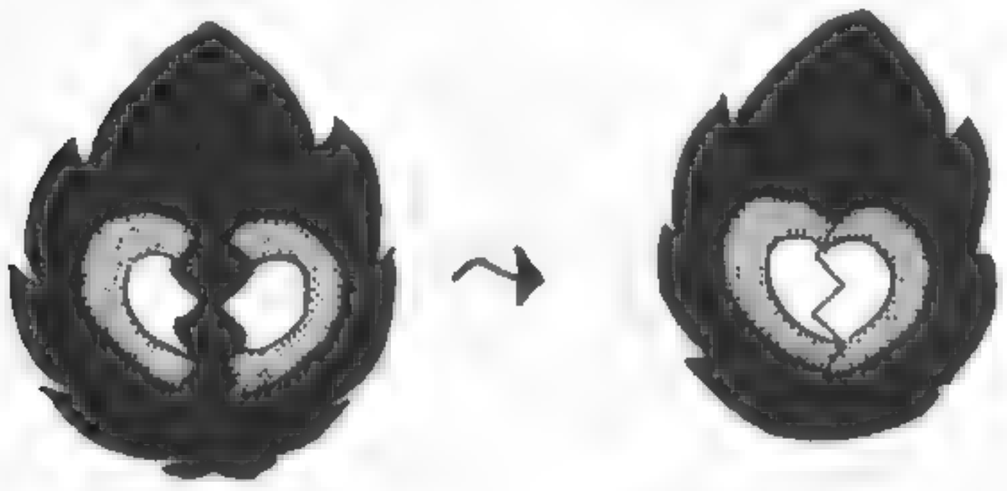
Born July 7, Festival of the Star-crossed Lovers. Cancer, blood type A. Layout designer for the newspaper (but also writes articles). Hobbies include piano...and she's a little bit of a princess. (She has a sofa and a piano in her own room.)

Hinagiku Tamano

Born May 5, Boy's Day. Taurus, blood type B. Does karate, judo, and wrestling. She loves martial arts. Hobby: Likes being a do-it-yourself carpenter, and is good with her hands. She's a reporter in the newpaper club.

2nd question: What's the Jama-P mark?

It's the symbol of the demon Ojama.



A broken heart, when he's an evil demon.

The heart comes together when he's blasted out of a person's body, and is being good.

See? Look carefully at the drawings.

3rd question:

Is Nao Yazawa, the manga artist, a man? Lots of you asked this.

Nao Yazawa dressed as a woman...

Yes!

Just kidding! I'm a **woman.** Really. Even though I don't look it. I don't even own one skirt.

Ugh. Pretty bad ...

gag

Okay, a few more questions...

- Your cooking specialties? No such thing. I specialize in eating. I'm not a fussy eater.
- Your favorite characters? I love them all but if I had to pick, it'd be Yosuke and Jama-P.
- Pets? 2 cats. One is so fat – I'm at a loss what to do...
- Taste in music? "Tama" –they aren't too well known. And I may not look it, but I like classical, too. Okay, see you again in volume 3!

I stumbled into a great little video store in San Francisco the other day and right off the bat, I noticed they sold lots of hard-to-find Japanese anime. Could it be, I wondered? Could it be that such a place would have copies of the hard-to-find **Wedding Peach** series? I had to ask.

"You mean that **Sailor Moon** rip-off?" responded the guy behind the counter.

I'd heard it before, of course. You can't bring up **Wedding Peach** in polite conversation without some wiseguy invoking the name of the Sailor Scouts.

Sailor Moon predates **Wedding Peach** by a whopping three years. But it's hardly without precedent itself. Remember a series called **GiGi and the Fountain of Youth** ("Magical Princess Minky Momo")? Or how about **Creamy Mami**? **Sailor Moon** is but one entry in the lexicon of magical girl anime.

But that's not to say it didn't influence **Wedding Peach**. You'd have to be a pretty dull stick to not see the similarities.

Similarly, you can see how **Sailor Moon** owes a heavy debt to (of all things) the **Power Rangers**. Ultimately, all these shows borrow and steal from each other in equal parts.

Was **Wedding Peach** influenced by **Sailor Moon**? Without a doubt. Was it a rip-off? No way.

Feel free to enjoy both shows, that's what I say. And if you have the time, check out **Fancy Lala** and **Pretty Sammy**, too. There's plenty of magical girl adventures to explore.

Eric Searleman

Editor, **Wedding Peach**

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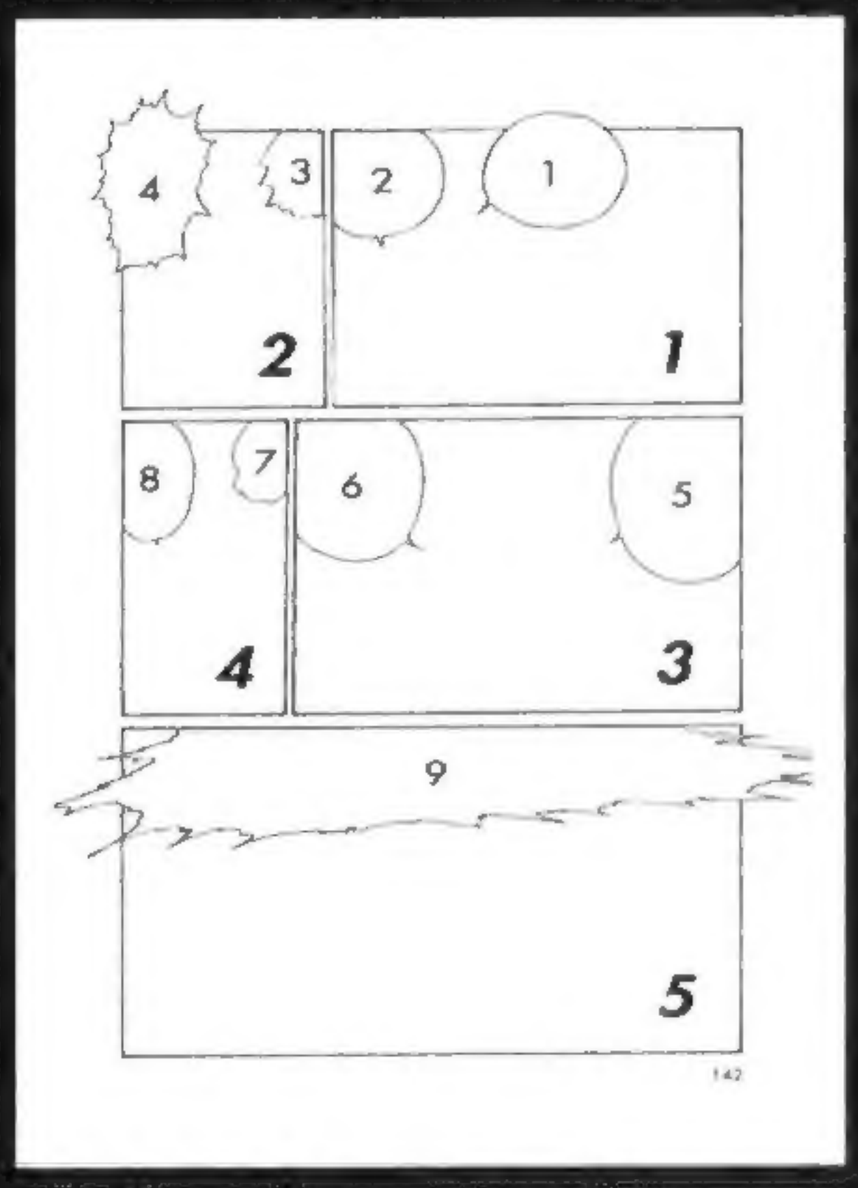

Follow the action this way

This book has been printed in the original Japanese format in order to preserve the orientation of the original artwork. Have fun with it!

Regarding the editor's note at the end of this volume...
Everything Mr. Searleman said is correct, but there's also one very important thing he didn't mention: the creator of the *Wedding Peach* media mix, Tomita Sukehiro, was also the head writer for the first season of the *Sailor Moon* anime!
In fact, a lot of aspects shared between the *Sailor Moon* anime and *Wedding Peach* are specifically parts of Tomita's writing style (in particular, Mamoru's characterization in the *Sailor Moon* anime is a Tomita trademark, and you can see Yosuke in *Wedding Peach* and Chiaki in *Phantom Thief Jeanne*'s anime adaptation as more examples of the archetype).
Contrary to popular belief, the wave of "magical girl battle heroines" that came after *Sailor Moon* wasn't just a bandwagon of people imitating it because it was popular. The majority of those works can be traced back to *Nakayoshi* (Kodansha), Toei, and/or other companies and staff members who were involved with *Sailor Moon* and were making a conscious, deliberate push to expand the concept into a full genre.

The character designer for the *Wedding Peach* anime was also Tadano Kazuko, who also worked on character designs for the *Sailor Moon* anime.
Normally, you'd think of this kind of thing as "also made by the creators of..." instead of as a ripoff, but people tend to assume Takeuchi Naoko was the sole creator of the *Sailor Moon* franchise when in fact the manga and anime were planned together as parts of a media mix.
Rumor has it that Takeuchi herself was a diehard fan of *Wedding Peach* and would even run around buying toys and doujinshi... which makes perfect sense, since it's a series made by her former coworkers.
In fact, she even slipped in a reference to *Wedding Peach* in *Sailor Moon*'s prequel series *Codename: Sailor V!*

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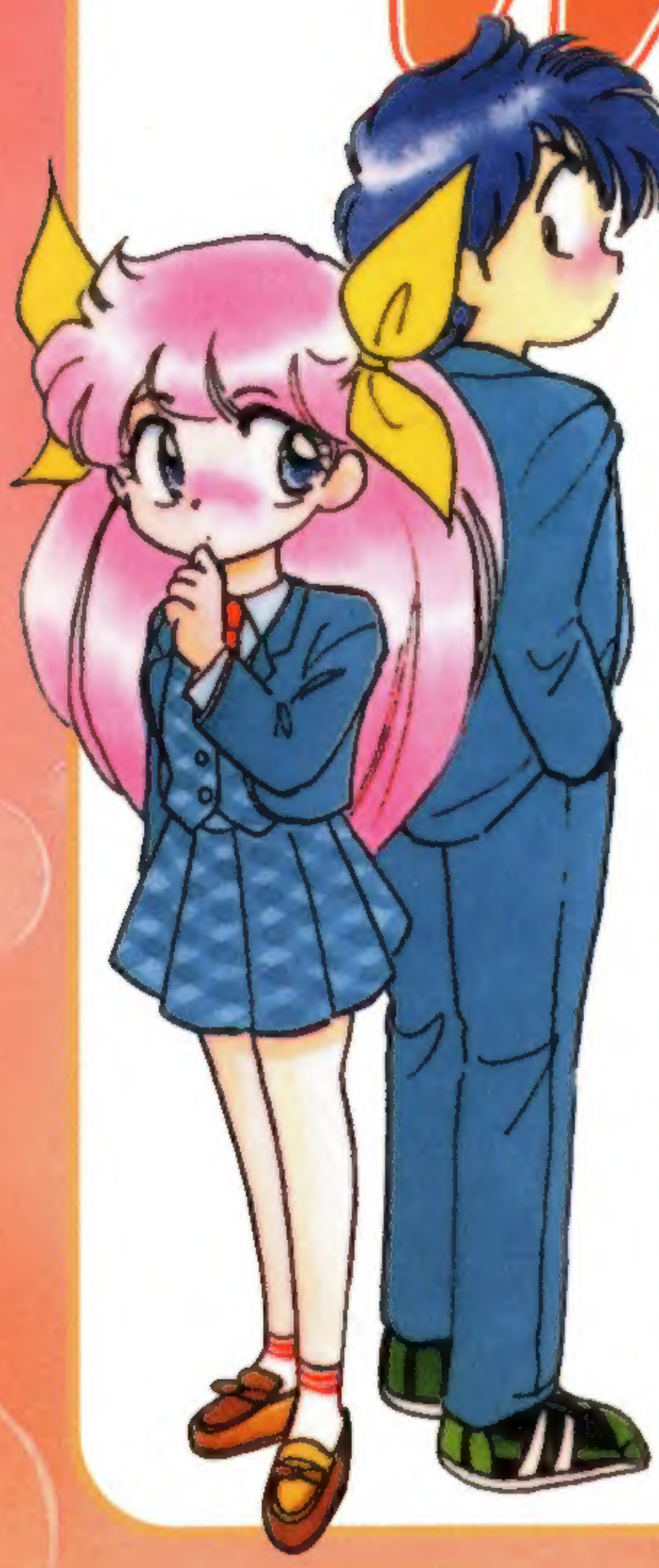

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